

Brandywine Creek at Wilmington, Delaware						
Latitude:	Longitude:	Gauge Elevation:	Drainage Area:	County of Gage:	County of Town:	Weather Office:
39°46'09.9" or 39.769444° N	75°34'36.1" or 75.573333° W	67.17 feet	314 mi2	New Castle, DE	New Castle, DE	Philadelphia
Major Basin:	Sub Basin:	Minor Sub Basin:		Minor:	Moderate:	Major:
Delaware	Brandywine	Christina		16.50	18.00	19.00
Period of Record (used in flood frequency)			Outside Period of Record (not used in flood frequency)			
9/5/2008 to Present			11/25/1950 to 9/4/2008			
Feet	Flood Impacts					
19.50	Widespread flooding occurs along the creek in Wilmington. Rockland Road from Black Gates Road to Country Club Drive is flooded as is Rockland Road from Adams Drive to Mt. Lebanon Road. The 1300 block of East 12th Street is flooded impacting access to I-495.					
19.00	Serious flooding at the Dupont Experimental Station. Historic Breck's Mill area in Montchanin experiences significant flooding. Hagley Creek Road as well as Barley Mill Road are flooded. The Post Office is flooded as is the museum and library.					
18.00	Ramsey Road is subject to closures between Del. 92 and Beaver Dam Road as the Brandywine backs up into Ransey Run.					
17.00	Some flooding begins in the historic Breck's Mill area in Montchanin.					
16.50	North Park Drive, west of North Market Street, in Brandywine State Park is subject to flooding and closures.					
14.50	Minor flooding begins along the creek in the Brandywine State Park.					
Gauge Stage Changes						
Start and End Date		Minor	Moderate		Major	
10/1/1946 to 9/30/2008		11.0	13.0		15.0	